



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 7206**
Yasuhiro TADA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0371A
Serial No. 10/574,111 : Group Art Unit 1797
Filed March 31, 2006 : Examiner Ana M. Fortuna

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In further reply to the September 30, 2008 Office Action, and to the January 14, 2009

Advisory Action, please consider the following:

Request for Continued Examination (RCE);

Petition for Two Month Extension of Time;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.